

Amendment No. 5 to HB0785

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Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 768

House Bill No. 785*

by deleting the amendatory language of SECTION 11 and substituting:

(1) The board shall, within a reasonable time, act upon the charges, and may, if it sees fit:

(A) For a first revocation of parole that does not involve a new felony, new Class A misdemeanor, or absconding, require the prisoner to serve a term of incarceration not to exceed ninety (90) days; or

(B) For any other revocation of parole, require the prisoner to serve out in prison the balance of the maximum term for which the prisoner was originally sentenced, calculated from the date of delinquency, or such part thereof, as the board may determine, or impose a punishment as the board deems proper, subject to § 40-28-123.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the language "and" from subdivision () (2)(D) of SECTION 12, deleting the period from the end of subdivision () (2)(E) of SECTION 12 and substituting "; and", and adding the following language as a new subdivision (F) to subdivision () (2) of SECTION 12:

(F) Has demonstrated, to the satisfaction of the board:

(i) A sincere effort to become a law-abiding and productive member of the community;

(ii) A desire to obtain gainful employment and provide for the inmate's own self; and

(iii) The inmate is no longer a threat to the other Tennesseans or the property of other Tennesseans.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting SECTION 10 and renumbering the subsequent sections accordingly.